



Main Street Monday!

November 3, 2014

Happenings Around the State

Don't forget tomorrow is the day to cast your ballot! Currently two of our directors are running for city council. Good Luck Ladies!



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Training Opportunity

Heritage Ohio Announces Historic Paint Colors Webinar

Dave Mertz, professor & Program Chair of the Building Preservation/Restoration Department at Belmont College, will present a webinar on historic paint colors on November 19th at 1pm. Please join us to learn more about historic paint colors. Webinars are a benefit of membership. Register http:www.heritageohio.org/calendar-of-events/73/ Membership to Heritage Ohio is \$25 a year.



There will be no Main Street Monday, November 10th. I will be in Savannah attending the National Preservation Confer-

ence with our SHPO, Craig Potts. The next MSM will arrive TUESDAY, Nov 18th. I will be in Olive Hill for Trail Town presentation on the 17th. If you have information to go out prior to the 10th please send it along and I will do an email on Friday the 7th to share any time sensitive information.



We are sad to be bidding farewell to our friend and colleague, Peggy Guier, KHC's staff attorney and commu-

nity preservation coordinator, who is retiring after 15 years of service. Peggy is a native of Hopkinsville, and previously worked in private practice and for the Labor Cabinet. She has been an invaluable part of our team! In addition to general counsel, she has been responsible for preservation easements, tax credit guidance, open records requests, advising everyone on any number of legal issues, and has done all this with grace and humor. She says she is looking forward to getting caught up on her rest, travel, and spending time with her son, John. Thanks Peggy! You will be greatly missed by all!





Toot Your Horn!





Happy Belated Birthday to Isaac Kremer, October 28th!

Don't forget !! Main Street
Award nominations are due to
KYMS Friday, Nov. 21st by
4:00!! Tell us who and what
should be honored with this
years awards. I have attached
the nomination form just
in case you need it.

Main Street Tip of the Week - Writing a Good Press Release

This is a skill all Main St. directors need to have or have someone on staff who can do this for you. Think of a press release as your ticket to publicity -- one that can get vour organization coverage in all kinds of publications or on TV and radio stations. First, be sure you have a good reason for sending a press release. Great reinvestment statistics, awards, a grand opening, a new product, a record-setting sales year, a new location or a special event are all good reasons. Second, make sure your press release is appropriately targeted for the publication or broadcast you're sending it to. The editor of Road & Track is not going to be interested in a new banner you've displayed or a new sidewalk that was installed. Read more http://

www.entrepreneur.com/article/226011

Vicki Birenberg CLG, Mike Radeke site development and I visited Maysville last week to meet with Director Matt Wallingford and others. We had a nice chat with the Mayor and the Hedgecock's who are restoring several buildings. In the background are the day of the week row houses!





Open House

Thursday, November 6 5pm ~ 8pm Friday, November 7 10am ~ 7pm Saturday, November 8 10am ~ 6pm Sunday, November 9 1pm ~ 5pm

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HOLIDAY HOP open houses · live music



SATURDAY • NOVEMBER 29



SMALL BUSINESS Saturday

Christmas carolers · carriage rides

SATURDAY • DECEMBER 6

Christmas Parade

followed by Christmas Tree lighting & visit with Santa & Mrs. Claus



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Lighting of the Star

November 30th

Downtown Pineville

THE Art of the Holiday Stroll

ŵ Holiday Strolls are all the rage these days, with local business owners working together to shift consumer spending away from big box and online, read ŵ more: ŵ

http://blog.alignable.com/

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DIRECTOR SPOT-LIGHT!!!

MARY LOU BROCK LEBANON



Where are you from and where do you live now? I was born and live in Lebanon, Marion County

How long have you been a Coordinator 1996
How did you get involved with the Main Street movement? The
Lebanon Main Street Program is under the umbrella of the
Marion County Office of Economic Development so when I was
hired Main Street was part of the job description. I started working for the economic development office in 1994 and became
Main Street Director in 1996.

Which of the Four Points is your favorite? Promotions
What project is consuming most of your time right now?
Christmas events

Do you have any favorite activities or hobbies? I like to play Texas Hold'm and ride 4 wheelers. I have just started to paint and I love it.

What is your favorite author or book? The Bible What is your favorite movie? Titanic

What is your favorite song or band? Carrie Underwood
What is your favorite sports team? University of Kentucky
Which actor/actress would you choose to play you in a movie?
Julia Roberts

Name something you can't live without. My husband If you had an alternative career, what would it be? Painter

What's the most adventurous thing you've done recently? Went zip lining in Hawaii

If you won \$20 million in the lottery, what would you do with it I would take care of my family and then I would build a



Somewhere you would like to visit The Holy Land Fun facts? Hidden talents? Also, Feel free to insert your own questions and answer! I love to bake.



An interesting article on urban farming in Wheeling WVA.

http://www.pbs.org/newshour/ updates/farm-urban-ruins utm_source=facebook&utm_medium= pbsofficial&utm_campaign=newshour



Whether you're a Main Street director or a retailer here are some tips check out these tips amassed by SBA.gov contributors and small business experts. Got to SBA.gov to find the following topics!

Start Now to Plan Your Holiday Retail Marketing Campaign 6 Ideas to Turn Your Customer Holiday Gifts Into a Marketing Tool

7 Holiday Marketing Tips on a Limited Budget

5 Ways to Market Your Business for the Holiday Season

5 Ways to Attract Shoppers for the Holidays—and Beyond

Are the Holidays Your Off-Season? Stay on Top of Business Seasonality With These 7 Tips

How to Market Your Products at Holiday Crafts Fairs and Flea Markets

Sponsoring or Hosting an Event this Holiday Season? 6 Ways to Maximize Your Return

How to Market Your Business with an Event

And if you really must leave it to the last minute:

12 Last-Minute, Low-Cost Holiday Marketing Tips for Your Small Business

Our neighbors in Tennessee have sent us an invitation! View the full schedule & register: www.knoxheritage.org/conference for those of you near the border this is a training opportunity!

If you do not currently receive information from Orton Family Foundation you should sign up today!

ORTON FAMILY

Celebrate

Your Town #MyTownMatters

Earlier this month we announced publication of the *Community Heart & Soul*™ *Field Guide*.

To celebrate, we'd like to invite you to join our #MyTownMatters photo contest. All you need to do is take a selfie, or have someone snap a pic of you, in your favorite spot. Share it with #MyTownMatters on Tumblr, Twitter, Facebook, Pinterest or Instagram. (For us to see the post it needs to be public.) Or email your image to: communications@orton.org.

Each week, through November 25, we'll draw one lucky winner of a \$25 gift card to Vermont Country Store! We look forward to your favorite place!

A Blueprint for Successful Small Towns, Nov. 5

Community Heart & Soul™: Building a Blueprint for Successful Small Towns is a free Heart & Soul Matters talk about Community Heart & Soul and how the method has led to significant, measurable change in small towns and rural communities.

You'll hear from Orton Executive Director David Leckey on how Heart & Soul leads to real, positive change and Alece Montez-Griego, director of programs, with an overview of the method. Plus Mike Bestor, city manager, Golden, Colorado, and Delilah Poupore, executive director of Heart of Biddeford, Biddeford, Maine, on how Heart & Soul matters in their towns, with time for Q&A!

4-5 p.m., Eastern, Wednesday, Nov. 5.



Order Yours Today! Great holiday gift!





Here's the latest article from Stephanie Meeks, President and CEO of the National Trust on Widening the Preservation Lens. http:blog.preservationnation.org/2014/10/30/widening-preservation-lens/? utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=email &utm_campaign=Feed% 3A+Preservationnation+% 28PreservationNation%29#.VFeZrzTF eh

The PreservationNation blog features stories, news, and notes from the National Trust for Historic Preservation as well as the wider preservation movement. Have a great story to share? Email us! And visit PreservationNation.org to learn more about people saving places.

Can't make it to Savannah?

Become a Virtual Attendee

To find out more about the TrustLive and to sign up as a virtual attendee to receive the "Virtual Viewing Kit," click on the "Virtual Attendee" button www.PastForward2014.org. Virtual attendees can attend one or all of the four live-streaming TrustLive presentations (all times EST):

preservationTOMORROW -- Wed., Nov. 12,

3:30-5:00 p.m. (Sponsored

by <u>Preservation Leadership Forum</u>)
preservationVENTURE -- Thurs., Nov. 13, 9:00–10:00 a.m. (Sponsored by <u>The 1772 Foundation</u>)

preservationSTORY -- Thurs., Nov. 13, 10:15–11:15 a.m. (Sponsored by <u>Esri</u>)

preservationCRISIS -- Fri., Nov. 14, 9:00–10:00 a.m. (Sponsored by the <u>National Park</u> Service)

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Don't forget to send your holiday happenings to Diane!!
Diane.comer@ky.gov
Calendar will go live this week!

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Did you know that Julie Wagner, Harrodsburg, serves on the Kentucky Heritage Council, Council. (I know it's confusing) The Council is a board of preservation minded individuals appointed by the Governor who assists the Kentucky Heritage Council staff and organization in furthering the mission of preservation in Kentucky. Julie is beginning her second four year term of service with the Council.

Heritage Council members are Stephen L. Collins, Shelbyville, chairman; Helen Dedman, Harrodsburg, vice chair; Teresa Bailey, Bowling Green; Chris Black, Paducah; Virginia Butler, Maysville; Linda Carroll, Brenda McClanahan, Jennifer Beth Miller and Jenny Stringer, Lexington; Betsy Kuster, Paris; Nana Lampton, Goshen; Judi Patton, Pikeville; Norma Rapier, Bardstown; Kathleen Smith and Bill Weyland, Louisville; and Julie Wagner, Danville.

An agency of the Kentucky Tourism, Arts and Heritage Cabinet, the Kentucky Heritage Council / State Historic Preservation Office is responsible for the identification, protection and preservation of prehistoric resources and historic buildings, sites and cultural resources throughout the Commonwealth, in partnership with other state and federal agencies, local communities and interested citizens.

Program areas include Section 106 Review of federally funded projects; an archaeology component, encompassing education and the Kentucky Archaeological Survey, a partnership between KHC and the University of Kentucky Department of Anthropology; administering state and federal rehabilitation tax credit programs, the Kentucky Main Street Program, and the National Register of Historic Places program in Kentucky; historic sites survey; preservation planning; the Certified Local Government (CLG) Program; and staff support for the Kentucky African American Heritage Commission, Kentucky Native American Heritage Commission and the Kentucky Military Heritage Commission.

Another great idea to involve people in your downtown for some temporary public art! Carrollton had an Art Walk, Chalk Art Contest (You can also make your own chalk as a pre event





activity!) and they had trophies for the winners!